



TOWN OF PARADISE VALLEY POLICE DEPARTMENT

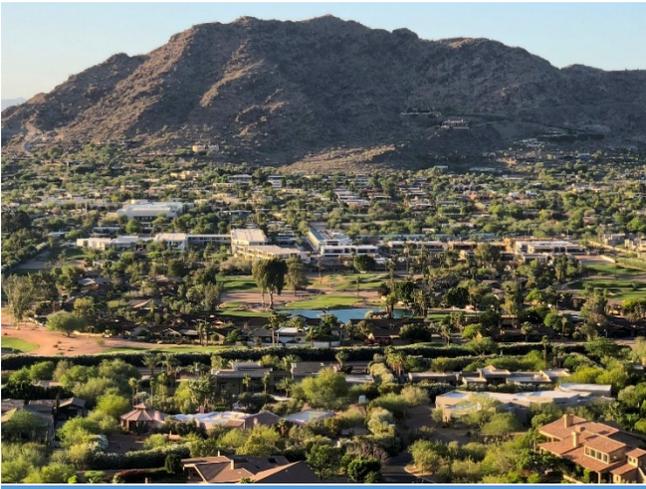
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Town of Paradise Valley Named Third Safest in Arizona

The National Council for Home Safety and Security released its top safest cities in Arizona for 2018. Of those named among the top safest municipalities included the



Town of Paradise Valley. It was the only municipality to be listed within the Phoenix Metropolitan Area.

In 2017 the Paradise Valley Police Department began DDACTS (Data Driven Approach to Crime and Traffic) program set around a zone at the N. Tatum Blvd. and E. Lincoln Dr. intersection.

“DDACTS attempts to identify areas where higher volumes of traffic accidents and crimes overlap and directs additional high visibility enforcement efforts to those locations” says Lt. Michael Cole.

Image courtesy of Council Member Julie Pace

As a result, a reduction in traffic collisions and an increase in criminal apprehensions have enhanced safety over the last three-years within Paradise Valley.

Additionally, the Paradise Valley Police Department offers a free Home Security Review to residents which will help enhance the security of their home. The review is unique to the needs of each residence and will explore how changes in environmental design can deter criminal activity, expose residents to technologies previously unknown, and help change habits in the household to make each residence a safer place to live.

For information on Arizona’s safest cities from the National Council for Home Safety and Security please visit their website: <https://www.alarms.org/safest-cities-in-arizona/>

Remember to always close your garage when not in use, lock your doors and set your alarm. Motion and glass break sensors are an extremely important part of any alarm system. Marking property, and taking inventory of your property, also greatly increases the chance of recovery. For a Home Security Survey or tips on how to make your home safer, please contact Community Resource Officer Steven McGhee at smcghee@paradisevalleyaz.gov

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